

Interface meeting between ICAR-NRC for Orchids and Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh

An interface meeting between ICAR-NRC for Orchids, Sikkim and Chief Secretary, Government of Arunachal Pradesh was held at Secretariat, Arunachal Pradesh on 14th June, 2017. In the meeting, Director, ICAR-National Research Centre for Orchids has made a presentation on orchid production and entrepreneurship development in Sikkim. A long and useful discussion was held between officers of National Research Centre for Orchids and line Departments of Government of Arunachal Pradesh under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Government of Arunachal Pradesh on selection of sites for production and training on orchids at Itanagar, Tipi, Sesa, Bombdilla, Dirang and Zero areas of the state. Officers of both ICAR-NRC for orchids, Sikkim and Department of Environment and Forests visited the potential areas of Arunachal Pradesh from 12th -15th June, 2017 for orchid growing and they observed that Bombdilla, Dirang and Ziro were found suitable for cultivation of temperate orchids, Sesa for subtropical orchids and Itanagar and Tippi for tropical orchids.

